





THURSDAY, DEC. 27, A. M.

**THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION.**—The New York telegraphic dispatches that the United States authorities think that they have discovered a very extensive plot for the invasion of the West India Islands and the States in Central America. We presume that vigorous measures will be adopted to arrest the movement.

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